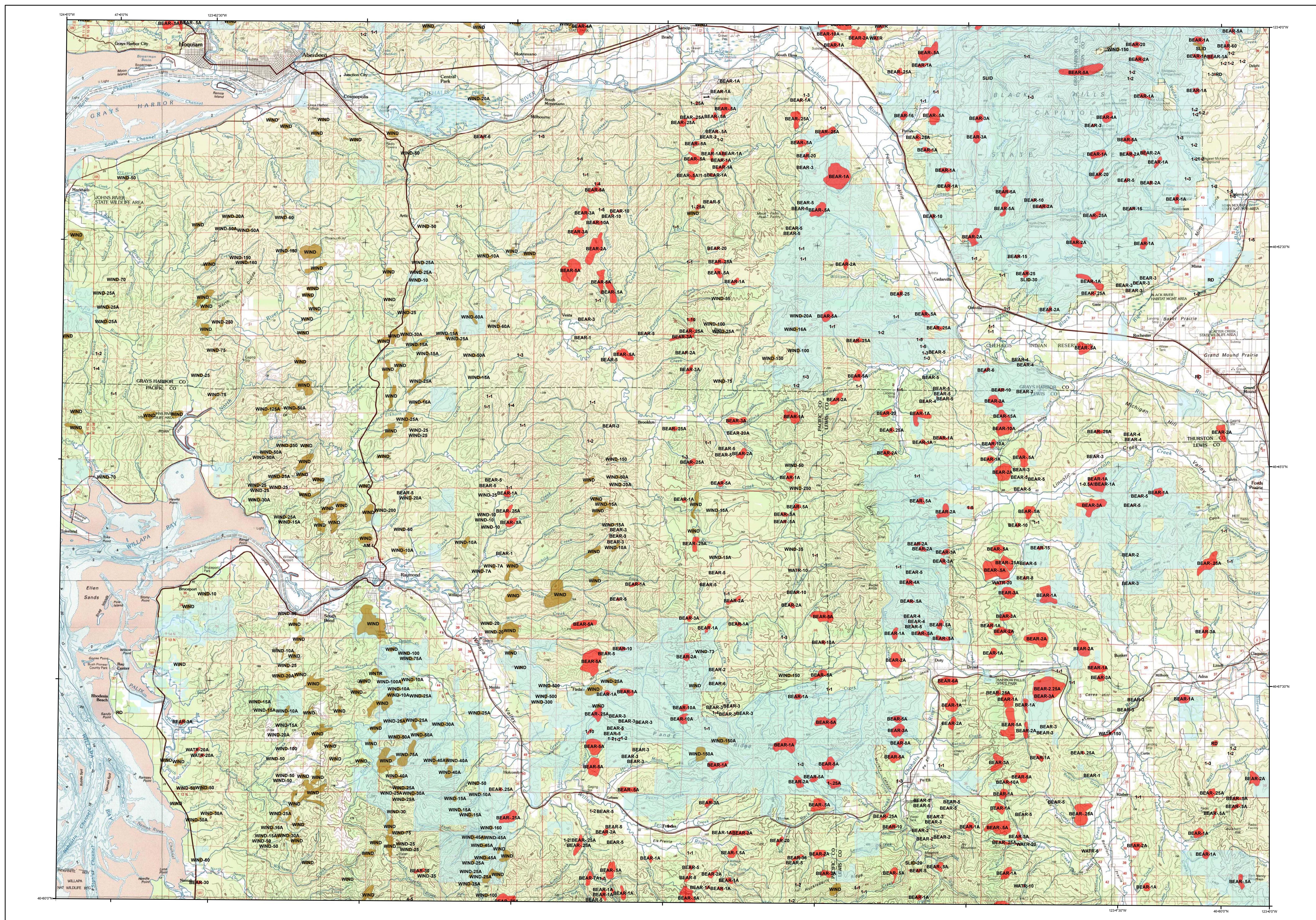
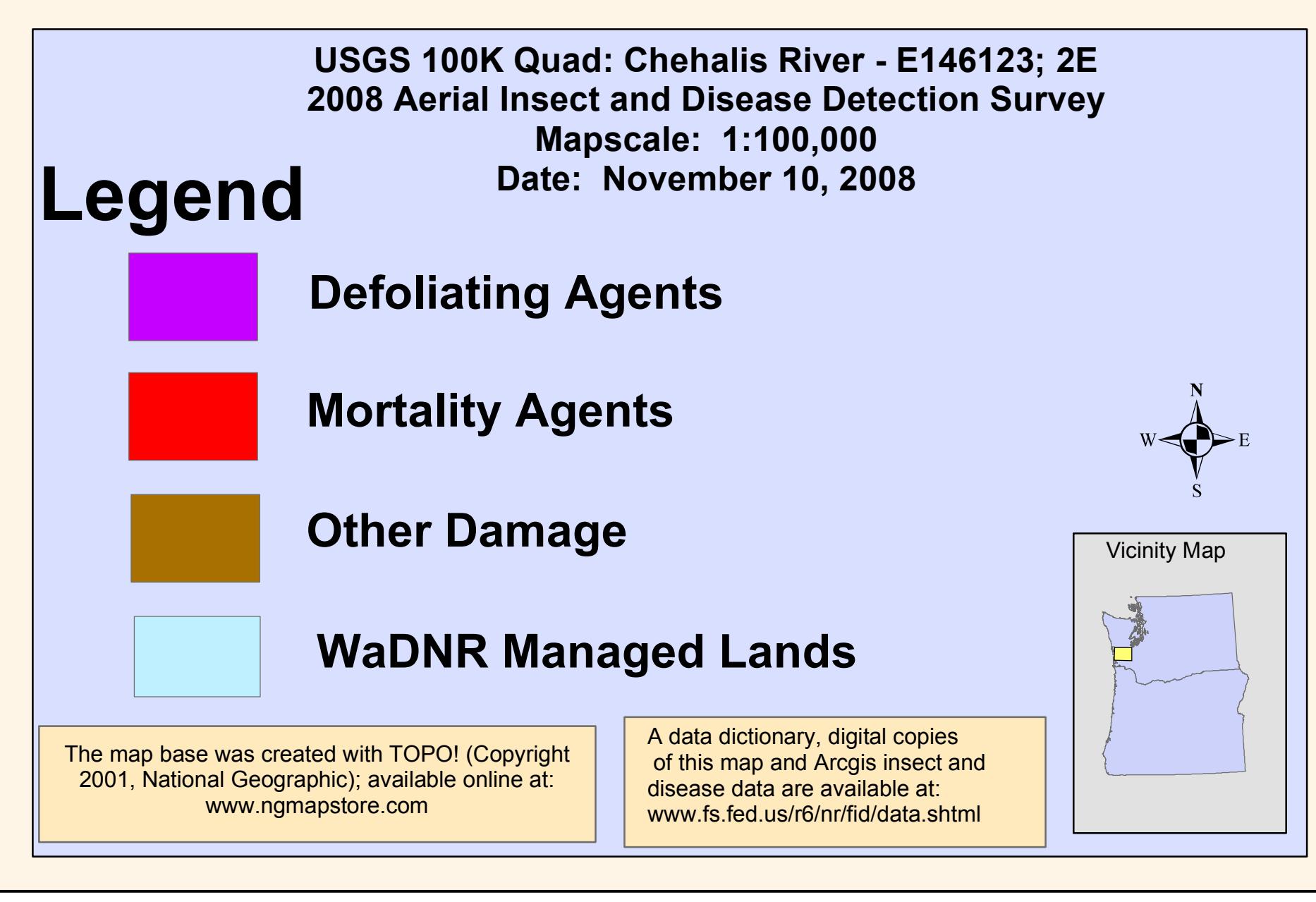


2008 Aerial Insect and Disease Survey

USGS 100K Quad: Chehalis River - E146123; 2E



Defoliators		
Code	Damaging Agent	Primary Host
AS	Spruce aphid	Silky spruce
BB	Western blackheaded budworm	Hemlock, spruce, true fir
BM	Balsam woolly adelgid	Spruce
BP	Sugar pine tortoise	Fir engraver
BS	Spruce budworm	Western balsam bark beetle
BY	Bryotrophus pseudohederae	Lodgespole, ponderosa pine
CH	Larch	Jeffrey pine
HL	Western hemlock looper	Ponderosa pine
LG	Green stroped forest looper	Mountain pine beetle
LL	Larch looper	Mountain pine beetle
LS	Black pine needle scale	Mountain pine beetle
MD	Douglas-fir budworm	Douglas-fir
ML	Marten	Red squirrel
MN	Douglas-fir needle midge	Spruce
MS	Spruce budworm	Spruce
ND	Needle miner	Jeffrey pine
NJ	Needle miner	False hemlock borer
NL	Needle miner	Black stain root disease
NN	Needle miner	Ponderosa pine
NM	Needle miner	Root disease
NS	Needle miner	Water damage
NV	Needle miner	Tree
OL	Western oak looper	Western white pine
PC	Pine needle cast	Oaks
PH	Horntail Douglas-fir	Ponderosa pine
PM	Pandora moth	All species
PN	Pine needleheath miner	Jeffrey pines
RG	Pine needle scale	FIRE
RC	Needle cast	Fire pitch ridge
RG	Needle cast	HAIL
SD	Spider mite	Harmful decline
SA	Spider mite	Balsam root disease
SD	Sawfly	Areas not flown n host
SH	Sawfly	Areas not detected
SL	Sawfly	OUT
SM	Satin moth	Red bell
SMC	Satin moth cast	SIL
SP	Sawfly cast	UNKD
SV	Sawfly	Unknown mortality
TG	Tent caterpillar, alder	WIND
TC	Tent caterpillar, other	Wind throw
TM	Douglas-fir tussock moth	WIND
TS	Tent caterpillar, aspen	WIND



How the Aerial Surveys Are Conducted

Data represented on this map are based on trees visibly affected by forest insects and diseases detected and recorded during aerial survey flights conducted by the USDA Forest Service and the Washington Department of Natural Resources. Observers have just a few seconds to recognize the color difference between healthy and damaged trees of different species; diagnose causal agents correctly; estimate intensity; delineate the extent of damage, and precisely record this information on a georeferenced, digital map. Air turbulence, cloud shadows, distance from aircraft, haze, smoke and observer experience can all affect the quality of the survey. These data summaries provide an estimate of conditions on the ground and may differ from estimates derived by other methods.

The aerial survey provides information on the current status for many causal agents, and is important when examining insect activity trends by comparing historical and current survey data over large areas.

Overview surveys are a 'snap shot' in time and therefore may not be timed to accurately capture the true extent or severity of a particular disturbance activity. Specially designed surveys with modified flight patterns and timing may be conducted to more accurately delineate the extent and severity of a particular disturbance agent. Special surveys, such as Swiss needle cast surveys, are conducted when resources are available to address situations of sufficient economic, political or environmental importance.

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The insect and disease data presented should only be used as an indicator of insect and disease activity, and should be ground-checked for precise location, extent, severity and causal agent.

Color coded polygons show locations where trees were recently killed or defoliated. Intensity of damage is variable and not all trees within coded polygons are dead or defoliated.

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